Don't forget to sign me up!

STARTS THIS WEEK

Toddler Summer Camp

June 18-August 15 | Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9:30-11:30 am



For ages 16-34 months | Caregiver attendance required

During our summer session, weather permitting, we enjoy outdoor time with small wading pools outside on our Portico "beach," in addition to the beautiful Fidanque Youth Room. There is time for play, craft projects, exercises, saying *berakhot* (blessings), snack, stories, music and more.

To learn more and apply, visit shearithis rael.org/toddler-summer-camp.

Register now for PTTS Hebrew School 2019-2020

Held on Thursdays afternoons, with special programming on select Sundays School begins: October 24

Polonies Talmud Torah School, provides children and teens with a substantive Jewish education in a positive and engaging environment. For questions, contact Barbara Reiss at breiss@shearithisrael.org.

Register at shearithisrael.org/ptts-registration.

Contribute to the PTTS Hebrew School Scholarship Fund

We offer many scholarships to ensure that all qualified applicants can receive a Jewish education. Please consider sponsoring a student for an academic year or semester or contributing to our Hebrew school scholarship fund with a tax deductible contribution of any amount.

Go to shearithisrael.org/hebrew-school-scholarship-fund.

Scotch & Arak Sponsorships

Kiddush is an enjoyable time to relax and catch up with friends, but at its core, *kiddush* requires the blessing over a glass of wine or other alcoholic (or permissible non-alcoholic) beverage. In addition to our weekly *kiddush* sponsors and contributors we also welcome sponsors for the scotch and arak that we make available each week. To sponsor or contribute, go to shearithisrael.org/scotch-and-arak-sponsorships.

SAVE THE DATE—THREE WEEKS FILM SCREENING

"More Precious Than Pearls"

A film by Shearith Israel member, Robert "Naftali" Friedman Wednesday, July 31 | 7:00 pm

Faith after the Holocaust is a theme that is rarely touched upon in Holocaust-related documentaries, let alone examined deeply. In this film, Shearith Israel member Naftali Friedman attempts to explore these ideas through the life of his father, Alex Friedman, a survivor of Nazi concentration camps. The film examines how Alex succeeded in achieving self-renewal as a human being and as a committed Jew, without forgetting the vivid, yet incomprehensibly painful memories of the past.

Did you miss a major lecture or want to view again? Check Out Our Video Library of Recorded Events

A select number of major events in recent (and less recent) months have been captured on video for our community and friends to enjoy. If you missed out on major events, including *Out of Egypt* or *Menachem Begin: A Legacy of Leadership*, visit shearithisrael.org/recorded-events-index to watch them anytime.

Order Our Special Year of Years Commemorative Booklets



If you were unable to attend our spectacular "Out of Egypt" event, or our Chatham Square Memorial Event in honor of those in our congregation who have served in the armed forces, you can still read about our veterans and our Egyptian-Jewish members and view their photographs, in these beautifully produced commemorative booklets:

- Out of Egypt: Celebrating Egyptian Jewish Heritage at Shearith Israel If you did attend Out of Egypt but would like to order additional copies, you may do so as well. Go to shearithisrael.org/store.
- For God and Country: A Record of the Patriotic Service of Shearith Israel
 If you would like to pick up a copy of the Chatham Square Memorial
 booklet at the synagogue, you may do so for free after reserving a copy at
 shearithisrael.org/store. Note: Pickup must be during office hours (9:30
 am 5:30 pm, Monday-Thursday). If you cannot come to the synagogue
 to pick up a copy, you can order by mail at shearithisrael.org/store.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Year of Years Capstone Event September 10, 2019

We've been enjoying many wonderful Year of Years events throughout this landmark 365th anniversary year—including Passover and the American Imagination, Remembering Baghdad, From Recife to New York,



and *Out of Egypt*—with more to come. You won't want to miss this capstone event.

Stay tuned for details!

WAIT-LIST ONLY

Day Trip to Touro with Rabbi Soloveichik July 4 | Departing at 7:00 am

Rabbi Soloveichik will be leading us on an all-day field trip to Newport, Rhode Island, home of our historic sister synagogue, the Touro Synagogue.

We have reached capacity; however, in the event that spots open up, we have started a wait-list. For details on how to sign up for our wait-list, visit shearithisrael.org/touro-trip.

Join Our Tour Guide Team

Shearith Israel is an historical landmark in addition to being the lively congregation we all know and love. Tours are frequently requested by groups coming from near and far—in addition to our monthly public tour—and our team of volunteer docents are all members of our community, just like you. If you would like to learn how to become a Shearith Israel docent, experience a public tour for yourself (the next one is on Wednesday, July 10 at 11:00 am), and/or contact Z. Edinger at zedinger@shearithisrael.org.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mazal tob to Rachel Neumark Herlands & Jonathan Herlands on the birth of a grandson to their children, William Herlands and Natalia Emanuel. Mazal tob also to aunt and uncle, Susan & Avery Neumark, and to great grandfather Melvin Neumark.

Our next public tour is Wednesday, July 10 at 11:00 AM

Meet with Our Parnas

Louis Solomon would be delighted to meet with you. Please schedule a visit by email: parnas@shearithisrael.org.



CONGREGATION SHEARITH ISRAEL The Spanish & Portuguese Synagogue

Shabbat Naso

June 14-15, 2019

Hertz Pentateuch: p. 586; Haftarah p. 602 Kaplan Living Torah: p. 676; Haftarah p. 1184

CANDLE LIGHTING | 8:11 PM

EVENING SERVICES (MINHA & ARBIT) | 6:45 PM | Little Synagogue

ZEMIROT | 8:30 AM | Levy Auditorium

SHAHARIT | 9:00 AM | Levy Auditorium

TOT SHABBAT | Ages 0-4 | 10:00 am | Fidanque Youth Room

YOUTH GROUPS | Ages 5-12 | 10:00 am | Portico

JUNIOR CONGREGATION | Ages 5-12 | 10:30 am | Little Synagogue

DEBAR TORAH | Rabbi Meir Soloveichik

KIDDUSH | Elias Room | In honor of our 2019 graduates. (See Scroll of Honor for graduate listings and sponsors.)

SHABBAT AFTERNOON PIRKEI ABOT CLASS | 7:05 pm | Rabbi Meir Soloveichik | "The Justice and Mercy of Shimon Ben Shetah" | Levy Auditorium EVENING SERVICES (MINHA & ARBIT) | 8:00 PM HABDALA | 9:10 PM

Our Summer Season Has Officially Begun

- Beginning this Shabbat, Shabbat evening services are held in the Little Synagogue, and morning services begin at 8:30 am, in the Levy Auditorium, our Summer Sanctuary. *Kiddush* will be in the Elias Room. Note that *no food* may be brought into Levy when it is set up as a sanctuary.
- While we hope the new thermostat in Levy will keep the temperature just right, we do still have pashminas available (near the Women's Section) for those who need them.

Weekday Service Times

Mornings: Tuesday-Friday: 7:15 am **Evenings:** Tuesday-Thursday (Minha & Arbit): 6:45 pm

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